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PINE BLUFF CHEMICAL ACTIVITY | Aug. 14 – Aug. 20, 2007

PBCDF disposal operations have safely eliminated:

PBCDF WEEKLY TOTALS	AMOUNT
Nerve Agent GB Rockets	Completed
Nerve Agent GB Pounds*	Completed

PBCDF PROJECT TOTALS	AMOUNT
Nerve Agent GB Rockets	90,409
Percentage of Nerve Agent GB Rockets	100%
Nerve Agent GB Pounds*	960,000 (approximate)
Percentage of Total Chemical Agent Tons	12.4%
GB Ton Containers	2

^{*} Includes chemical agent destroyed in the Deactivation Furnace, Metal Parts Furnace and Liquid Incinerator Systems.



May 19: PBCDF destroyed the last GB rocket. At 9:21 pm the last rocket was processed at the Rocket Shear Machine, and at 9:22 pm the sheared rocket pieces dropped into the Deactivation Furnace System. (Last GB rocket pictured left.)

PBCDF continued with activities for the changeover from GB rocket processing to VX rocket processing, focusing on startup activities. This week's activities included processing secondary waste in the Metal Parts Furnace and maintenance on the liquid incinerator and deactivation furnace. The deactivation furnace system pollution abatement system and the afterburner were started up this week.

- Construction complete in 2002
- Testing and Training complete in
- Disposal Operations began in March 2005
- Last GB M55 rocket destroyed in May 2007

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PBCDF Milestone Dates:

- PBA Chemical Weapons Stockpile Storage began in 1945
- Construction began in 1999